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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA. 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the communication dated December 30, 2005 and in connection with the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith, please consider the following amendments and remarks. Applicants submit concurrently herewith a Petition for Extension of Time for three (3) months, to and including June 30, 2006, accompanied by the required fee.